HON'BLE MR JUSTICE BILAL NAZKI
AND
HON'BLE MR JUSTICE S.ANANDA REDDY

W.P.No.16303 of 1991

DT.20-08-2007

Between:

K.Kabeerdas

. Petitioner

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The Executive Officer,
Venkatagiri Grampachayat,
Venkatgiri Town,
Nellore District and 2 others

… Respondents

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ORDER: (*Per Hon'ble Sri Justice Bilal Nazki)*

This petition has been filed on behalf of the association of Tax Payers and the relief sought is that the revised assessment was illegal and

arbitrary and against the principles of natural justice.

The main contention of the petitioner was that earlier a writ petition was filed in which certain directions were given and the respondents were directed to consider the representations of the petitioners by way of a revision. After the notices were issued to the petitioners and revisions were heard, the present petition has been filed mainly on the ground that no notice was given before the revision was heard and the orders were passed. Even in the writ petition itself, the petitioners have conceded that the Revisional Officer i.e., the 2nd respondent put up a notice in the notice board and did not give the petitioners any individual notice.

A Full Bench of this Court in *T.P.NARSIMLU AND OTHERS V. GRAM PANCHAYAT, VELPUR*[1] held that it was not necessary to give individual notice to each rate payer, but the executive authority of the Gram Panchayat should give notice to the rate payers before finalizing assessment under Rule 7 and it would be sufficient if a public notice is given, as contemplated under Rule 8.

Even otherwise, in the counter-affidavit, the respondents have denied that they did not issue any individual notice to the petitioners.

For this reason, we dismiss the writ petition. No costs.

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BILAL NAZKI, J

Dt.20-08-2007

S.ANANDA REDDY, J

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[1] A.I.R 1976 A.P. 329